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In re application of:

JEREMY MINSHULL et al.

Serial No: 08/650,400

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS
FOR CELLULAR AND METABOLIC
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: Unassigned

<u>UNDER 37 CFR \$1.115</u> AND 1.821(d)

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Sir:

In order to identify the sequences in the application by the sequence identification number, please amend the specification as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert the attached pages numbered 73 through 76 and entitled "SEQUENCE LISTING" following page 72 in the specification and renumber original pages 73-79 sequentially as 77-83.

On page 68, line 32, after "5'AGCGCCCAATACGCAAACCGCCTCTCCCCGCGCGTTGGCC-3'" insert -- [SEQ ID
NO:1] --.

On page 68, line 33, after "5'CTATGCGGCATCAGAGCAGATTGTACTGAGAGTGCACCAT-3'" insert -- [SEQ ID
NO:2]--.

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